



# **INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

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## **Media Release**

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## **INDOT to Host Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Workshop**

*One-day workshop set for Wednesday, Oct. 28*

**CITY OF FORT WAYNE** -- The Indiana Department of Transportation (INDOT) is hosting a one-day workshop to assist qualified businesses in properly completing the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) application for consideration of certification. INDOT personnel will be on site to explain the application process.

<b>WHO:</b>	Economic Opportunity Division personnel of INDOT
<b>WHAT:</b>	Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Workshop
<b>WHEN:</b>	Wednesday, Oct. 28, from 9 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
<b>WHERE:</b>	Fort Wayne District Administration Building 5333 Hatfield Road Fort Wayne, Indiana 46808
<b>WHY:</b>	The DBE program provides a vehicle for increasing the participation of Minority Business Enterprises (MBE) and Women Business Enterprises (WBE) in state and local procurement. This program applies to only transportation related contracts that include any amount of federal funds. Participants are asked to come prepared with the following forms in hand and at least partially filled out:

(1) **Bidder Registration Number:** This is obtained from the Department of Administration online.

(2) **DBE Application:** This may be obtained online at  
<http://www.in.gov/indot/div/legal/dbe>

(3) **Personal Finance Statement:** This may be obtained online at  
<http://www.in.gov/indot/div/legal/dbe>

Reference the website <http://www.in.gov/indot/2576.htm> for additional information for dates of future workshops being planned across the state.

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